Funds Distribution Report



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Organization's General Goals:

We are an advocacy organization. We know that one size does not fit all learners, so we partner with schools, parents, and communities to promote policies that support all public school students. We help grow the number of high-quality public school options in our state by helping visionary leaders design, launch, and lead innovative and gap-closing schools.

Date of Award: Level:

2021 Q3 \$5,000 to \$7,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Washington State Charter Schools Association.



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Report: Washington State Charter Schools Association/True Measure Collaborative Program

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The generous 2021 General Operating grant from the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions has helped support services, including mental and behavioral health services, for the True Measure Collaborative program, currently housed at the Washington State Charter Schools Association.

About the True Measure Collaborative

The True Measure Collaborative (TMC) catalyzes institutional changes in schools that result in increased resources and improved educational outcomes for all students, especially students with disabilities and multilingual learners. The TMC helps schools adopt inclusive and equity-driven educational practices so that all students can thrive.

The TMC supports improved outcomes for students with disabilities and multilingual learners by providing educators with personalized coaching, program consulting, professional development and increased financial resources. The TMC is the only support provider in the state that focuses on frequent, intensive, individualized, data-driven coaching for educators.

Despite the challenges that we have all faced over the past year, and that have hit the most vulnerable particularly hard, the True Measure Collaborative (TMC) has been able to accomplish a great deal with the support of our community, funders, and school members – including Tulalip Charitable Contributions. We have coached and mentored teachers throughout the state of Washington as they've provided students with COVID-19 learning recovery services and critical mental and behavioral health supports.

As one school leader shared with us earlier this year, "Out of every support we've been given, the one thing I would never live without is the TMC."

Your generous grant of \$ made last November, alongside our community of support, made our work possible over this past year. Thank you!

Student success and growth

Over the past 12 months, the TMC has served 700 students and upwards of 225 educators in Washington state public schools, seeing academic results that show students can grow immensely when given equitable learning opportunities.

Our program is only as successful as the students we serve, and we're proud to help break down barriers to opportunity for so many across Washington.



In TMC-supported schools, 91% of students with disabilities are being educated alongside their non-disabled peers for the majority of the school day (vs. 62% state average).

CURRENT POPULATION SERVED (SY 2021-22)

The TMC works primarily with schools in systemically underserved communities, which are reflected in the demographics of the students we serve.

68%
BIPOC Students with Disabilities

110/0 Multilingual Learners

61% Students who Qualify for Free- and Reduced-Price Lunch

Ten percent more students with disabilities in our member schools are meeting grade-level standards in English Language Arts than the state average. Two times the percentage of multilingual students are meeting standards in English Language Arts and Math than the state average.

The road ahead

Over time, our goal is to serve 100 schools and 6,000 or more exceptional learners across the state by 2030.



In order to reach this goal, throughout 2022, we have readied our program for launch as an independent nonprofit 501(c)3 from the Washington State Charter Schools Association. This launch will help us expand our services and supports to hundreds more teachers and students in our state. We also expanded our staffing by three positions to support the significant growth in our programming, and built a new website for the organization: www.thetruemeasure.org, which provides a centralized hub for our work.

We could not be more excited about the future of the TMC, catalyzed and supported by our community of partners, including you, our generous funding partner. Thank you for being a part of our work and we look forward to keeping in touch as we continue toward our launch in the coming months.









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